Kausas historical Boolety

123 to 127 N. Main Street.

This is correct. The 19th century was at 12 o'clock at night This is correct. The lefth century was as 12 o'clock at highly become 31, 1900.

The compositor made us say yesterday, "Royal fast black hosiery from 75 to 1 50." It should read from 25 to 1 50.

No furs left to sell. everything else seems incongruous, but we are doing business at the old stand if it is cold.

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# SHATTERING PRICES

WITH GREAT EFFECT!

The Slaughter is beyond the Power of a Detailed Description. Thousands of Dollars worth of Mens', Boys' and Children's Clothing must be Sold before March 15.

The Bargains offered are Seized with Wolf Like Voracity by all Classes of Humanity. You never saw so many Great Inducements. Come and see the Goods,

#### All Children's Overcoats at One-Half Former Price!

\$5 overcoats going at \$3 50 \$12 and \$14 overcoats going at \$8. \$15 overcoats going at \$10.

\$18 overcoats going at \$12. \$20 Chinchilla overcoats going at \$11. The above will give you a slight idea of the immense cut we have made on our overcoats.

The above will give you a slight idea of the building there will be room for all.

DEWITT C. CREGIER, Major.

We are now in the Midst of the

### GREATEST SUIT SALE

Ever inaugurated on this continet, having selected out a desirable lot of Worsted, Cas- while he was in Washington, beyond his simere and Cheviot Suits, worth all the way from \$20 to \$30, have placed them on a separate table and will give you choice for \$15.

Dispatch is the Soul of Business. Do not Linger! Do not Tarry! Be Quick! Buy Now!

Bargains Await You!

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#### JONES, COLE &

The One Price Clothiers,

208, 210 and 212 DOUGLAS AVENUE, WICHITA, KANSAS,

## OUR CASE!

Dry goods are bought and cutting prices down to a fine sold usually for the profit there point why not take advantage is in the transaction. And the of all the little cuts!

"ARCADE" does not intend to No schemes at the "Arcade."

on our counters all the small can buy as well as a man. than the goods are worth.

If you can buy at the rect low prices on dry goods. "Arcade" an article for 48 cents | P. S. Accordian plaiting free

why pay 50 cents? If the "Arcade" is cutting

goods for cost or less than cost, der to get you in to the store, but there are some instances hoping to sell you other goods grand overseer, Dr. A. W. McKinney, where it pays to lose a little at a good price. The "Arcade", of Emporia, reelected by acclamation money rather than to keep proposes to do business with grand receiver, T. O. Beck, Topeka: grand goods on hand from one season open hands and consequently have marked all our goods in We are invoicing this week plain figures and no two prices and will from day to day put made to any person. A child

lots remaining unsold at less The "Arcade" is the most reliable store in Wichita for cor-

of charge.

MADAME RUSSELL.

#### JUST ARRIVED

10 pieces Figured Henriettas, a big bargain at 50 cents.

25 pieces Figured Silks at 59c Just the thing for combination

00 dozen stainless hose at 25c. We guarantee them.

50 pieces Jaconet and Swiss Fiouncing at just half prics. 10 pieces 54-inch Henriettas at 77c. We will match your dollar goods with them.

"NEW YORK OFFICE, Feb. 25, 1890. T. L. Fox & Son, Wichita Kanasas.

Have just bought and shipped you a manufacturer's samples of ladies' vests, silk and lisle, worth 50 to 75c. Sell them at 25c each.

L. B. Fox."



STOP IN AND SEE IT.

resh roasted and crushed coffee a specialty
fail and telephone orders aften ded to. State agent
wante C.I. FULLER, 20 Douglas Ave., Wichita

OKLAHOMA REPUBLICANS. The Central Committee Will Set Forth the

Needed Legislation. OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., Feb. 26.-The Re-

publican central committee of the Indian territory met at Frisco yesterday. A committee of five was appointed to draft a insted from discontented gamblers and memorial to congress setting forth the the needs of the territory in the matter of Captain Stiles says that it is true that territorial government. The committee decided to make its recommendations of candidates for the various territorial offices at a meeting to be held at Kingüsher

yesterday morning, as soon as the result was known of the location of the site, the following telegram was sent from and answer received at this place:

To the World's Fair Committee, Chicago, BL:
Bully for Chicago, Reserve space for
Kiowa county, Kansas, in central building. Answer.
GREENSBURG BOARD OF TRADE. At 10 o'clock last night the following

CHICAGO, III., Feb. 25.

COURT TROUBLE.

Cases Decided by Judge Chandler to Be Thrown Out.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 26 -Some trouble is being experienced in the Eleventh judicial district, comprising the counties of Montgomery, Labette, Cherokee and Crawford, because of cases settled by Judge Chandler own jurisdiction. There are several of records show that the order was made in Kingman, which saved it, the court holdhat it could not go outside the

NEW CORPORATIONS. Topeka, Kan., Feb. 26.—The following new corporations were granted charters by

the secretary of state:

ith, of Kansas City. OFFICERS ELECTED,

Grand Lodge Done.

WINFIELD, Kan., Feb. 26.-The grand odge A. O. U. W. neld the election of officers today. A great deal of interest was manifested among the delegates present "ARCADE does not intend to No schemes at the "Arcade." and resulted in the following elections:

Convey the idea that we sell our No dodges resorted to in or- Grand master workman, R. M. Emery, guide, D. J. Roberts, Osago City; grand watchman, S. D. Hallowell, Wichita; grand trustee, E. P. Young, Winfield; grand medical director, Frank Swallow, M. D. Valley Falls, supreme representatives, Hon. A. P. Biddle, Minneapolis; Hon. J. E. Riggs, Lawrence; Hon. J. M. Miller, Council Grove. Most of the delegates left for their homes tonight, but the lodge will remain in session till Friday.

MORE BOOMERS ON THE LINE.

All Harris again called on the chair sustained Mr. Chandler.

All Harris again called on the chair day evening thereon families arrived and went into camp near the Walnut river in anticipation of an early opening of the Cherokee strip. Several more arrived to day. While it would seem that the movement is a little premature, they say that this time will not be lost to them, for they territory so that when the time comes for them to enter lawfully they will know just the best sections of the territory so that when the time comes for them to enter lawfully they will know just the best sections of the territory so that when the time comes for them to enter lawfully they will know just the time come for them to enter lawfully they will know just the best sections of the Today's bond election to build a \$42,000 for enlargement of the public bills: Appropriating majority.

All, Harris again called on the chair that it hours' debate should be allowed after which the previous question is to be considered and that such more than that it has been a should be allowed after which the previous destines should be allowed after which the previous question is to be considered and the resolution (with several and the resolution (with several and the resolution of the statement was the completed and the resolution (with several and the resolution of the suit was the considered and the resolution of the suit was the constituted on the chair state that he have considered and the resolution of the suits was champloned by Mr. O'Ferrall, by Mr. Powell was seconded by a section. The sate ment was the constitution of Virgina. The resilection is to be considered and the resolution (with several and the resolution (with several and the resolution that the more of the suits where maintained by Mr. O'Ferrall by Mr. Lacey, of lows, and Mr. O'Ferrall by M

#### MILITARY POWER,

THE EXTENT OF ITS USE IN OK-LAHOMA TERRITORY.

Charges of Improper Exercise of Authority and the Defense Offered Therefor.

No Arbitrary Action Taken by the Army Officers Since Establishment of Municipal Governments.

Their Service on the Whole, Praised by General Schofield-The Liquor Traffic in the Territory-Senator Butler Introduces a Resolution to Investigate the Cherokee Negotiations - Capi-

tal Notes, etc.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.-In response to a senate resolution, the secretary of war today transmitted to congress copies of all the telegrams and letters on file in the war department relative to the action of the military in Oklahoma from the date of the president's proclamation opening the territory to settlement. The facts disclosed by these papers are very generally known and most of the information con-tained in them has been published.

One interesting feature of the communication concerns charges against Captain Stiles and the military at Okla-homa City in harsh and undue exercise of their authority. On October 5 General Schofleid wires to General Merritt: "The interior department is of the opiniou that the military authorities are proceeding farther and less guardedly than they should in maintaining peace in Oklahoma, and especially in preventing the election of September 21 or other public meetings. The secretary of war desires immediate investigation and report."

Captain Stiles, the colonel in command in Oklahoma and General Merritt in their replies state that they found large numbers of the lawless element in Oklahoma and the action taken by the troops was necessary inated from discontented gamblers and from April 23, the date the territory was opened to settlement, until Mav 6, Oklahoma was practically under military rule, but that a regular city government was established in Oklahoma at the latter date space at a meeting to be held at Kingusher March 4.

SPACE AT THE FAIR TAKEN.

Special Dispatch to the Daily Eagle.

GREENSBURG, Kan., Feb. 26.— Kansas takes the lead, as usual, being the first to apply for space at the world's fair. On yesterday morning, as soon as the result was known of the location of the site, the

and preventing an election on September 21, he says the action was taken to prevent 21, he says the action was taken to prevent trouble which would certainly have oc-curred if the election had been permitted to proceed. The call for the election, he says, was issued by discontented and un-ruly citizens, styling themselves a com-mittee of 100, and the regularly selected officers of the city called upon him to pre-vent the election for fear of trouble, and because the election was contrary to the city charter. city charter, General Schofield in a report dated Dec-

ember 17, commenting upon the conduct of the military in Oklahoma, says: "Con-sidering the extremely difficult and delicate nature of the service referred to of the troops in Okiahoma, I think it a subject of congratulation that the service was performed so well and with so few mistakes. If the officers erred in some instances in their judgment as to the limits of their authority, they did not fail in their es-timates of the necessities of the extraor-dinary situation in which they were placed nor in courage and coolness to do with firmness and due forbearance what seemed

firmness and due forbearance what seemed to be necessary."

The closing papers relate to charges of Collector Acers, in the Kansas district, who states that there are at least 500 liquor stores in Oklahoma, and he charges them with taking no measures to suppress the traffic. The army officers, in their report as to the charges, state that they are unfair, that there are a great many places in Oklahoma where house can be had they Oklahoma where liquor can be had, they say, is undoubtedly true, but the military have no means of ferreting out the places and do not consider it their duty to do so. Willingness is expressed to aid the United States marshals and their deputies in ents looking to the suppression of

#### MORE OUTRAGE LITERATURE. Senator Chandler Submits a Petition from

Arkansas on Political Orimes.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2%-Mr. Chandler presented a petition from Union county, Arkansas, representing that at the state The Goddard (Sedgwick county) Alliance election there in September, 1887, a system-Exchange; capital stock \$5,000; M. L. Hen-atical reign of terror prevailed, that armed and reckless mobs paraded the county The Portsmouth Building company, of Kansas City; capital stock, \$100,000; directors, Edward E. Holmes, of Kansas City, Mo.; W. G. Myers, of Portsmouth, N. H.; schools and churches had been demoral-J. D. Husted, J. W. Brown and Edgar M. ing for the protection guaranteed by the

constitution Mr. Harris asked Mr. Chandler whether The Heavy Work of the A. O. U. W. such a "brief" statement as the rule contemplated in the presentation of petitions, nd added it was in violation of the rules. Mr. Chandler replied that he understood the rule and how it was construed. was not reading the petition, but was reading from as condensed a statement of it as he could make in justice to the peti-

Mr. Harris desired the ruling of the chair under rule 7, which provides that every petition or memorial small have en-dorsed on it a brief statement of its con-tents and shall be presented and referred ut debute.

Mr. Berry asked Mr. Chandler whether he had himself prepared the statement he was making or whether somebody else had Mr. Chandler replied that he had written

Mr. Berry-I thought so. It is not a petition, but a collection of rot and fifth which the senator has collected himself,
Mr. Chandler-It is a statement which I make on my own responsibility of the sub-stance of this petition.

Mr. Harris egain called on the chair

building at Topeka, Kan., to provide for the judicial determination of the controversy between the United States and the state of Texas, relating to a certain tract of land by them respectively claimed (Greer county).

At 2 o'clock the Blair educational bill was taken up as unfinished busines. Mr. Ingalls inquired as to the time when the bill was likely to be disposed of, remarking that it stood in the way of many important measures and giving notice that he would insist that its consideration should proceed with dispatch.

Mr. Reagan addressed the senate in opposition to the bill.

Mr. Wilson, of Maryland, also argued against the constitutionality of the bill.

Mr. Butler offered a resolution, which was agreed to, authorizing the select committee on the civilized tribes of Indians to investigate the status of the negotiation between the United States government and the Cherokee ortices, with power to send for persons and papers. to the Cherokee outlet, with power to send for persons and papers. After a brief executive session, the senate

COMPLETING THE FAIR BILL. WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.-Chairman Candler presided over the special house committee on the world's fair, which met this morning to consider the completion of the bill to give effect to the decision of the

Mr. Hitt said that Chicago would leave

the matter of an appropriation to meet the cost of a government exhibit and government building to the house, and would be content to accept any sum that in the opinion of that body would suffice for an exhibit with credit to the government.

Mr. Flower moved the appointment of a sub-committee to draft a Chicago fair bill and it was adopted without division. The

sub committee was immediately appointed and consists of the chairman (Mr. Candler) and Mesars. Hitt and Springer. Upon motion of Mr. Frank the bill was referred to the sub-committee to insert the name of Chicago as the site for the fair.

Mr. Springer presented a resolution, which was adopted, calling on the secretary of the treasury for an estimate of the sum necessary for the erection of government buildings at Chicago and making a suitable exhibit in behalf of the government. The committee seemed disposed to deal with the subject in a liberal spirit. The Chicago men are very much pleased with the attitude of the opponents of yesterday, and they feel assured of the carnest support of all parties, who have expressed themselves as desirous of doing everything in their power to make the fair a success.

A NEW YORKER'S SUBSCRIPTION. referred to the sub-committee to insert the

A NEW YORKER'S SUBSCRIPTION. NEW YORK, Feb 26 .- The following letter, which explains itself, is made public: NEW YORK, Feb. 26, 1890. World's Fair of 1892, Chicago, Ill.

World's Fair of 1892, Calcago, Ili.

Dear Sir: Should the bill just passed in the house of representatives locating the Columbus fair of 1892 at Chicago also pass the senate and be approved by the president, I hereby authorize you to subscribe for me, as a citizen of New York, towards the capital stock of said fair the sum of \$20,000, this subscription being made upon your assurance that there is no further hability. Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM STEINWAY,

WESTERN MATTERS AT THE CAPITAL WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.-The senate today confirmed the nomination of Sylvester R. Burch to be supervisor of the second census district of Kansas.

Kansas patents granted were: August Almstrong, Scranton, seed planter; Joseph O. Catlett and T. A. Brant, Lawn Ridge, O. Catlett and T. A. Brant, Lawn Ridge, fodder cutting machine; Henry Conlessone, Kansas City, display jar; Charles P. Emerson, Yates Center, lifting jack; J. F. Frankey, Dodge City, typewriter; A. B. Griswold and J. M. Bradbury, Bunker Hill, automatic safety fire alarm; Charles Lardner, Topeka, elevated carrier; Winfield S. Livengood, Kansas City, baling press; Charles H. Marshall, Kansas City, dust pan; Albert H. Russell, Kansas City, petroleum burner for stove; Harvey H. Silsby, La Cygue, device for holding a hog's snout and severing the tendon thereon; John Tobin, Kansas City, air feeding device for furnaces.

Pensions have been granted to Kansans as follows: Original invalid—Allen P.

the control severing the tendon thereon; John Tobin, Kansas City, air feeding device for furnaces.

Pension have been granted to Kansans at this point was fifty-one feet and one-half as follows; Original invalid—Allen P. Lewis, Clyde; Otto W. Gandy, Wallace; Lewis H. Taylor, Kellville; Henry McGinnes, Segwick; Aaron E. Carnahan, Dodge City; John W. Calvert, Lebo. Restoration and increase—Patrick H. Dorsey, Prescott, Increase—Channecy J. Wixam, Clay Center: Benjamin C. Euder, Wilson Danviel, T. Hopkins, Bridgeport; Robert P. Beaty, Weskan, Samuel H. Edgar, Floral; Abner Wood, Humboldt; Andrew J. Lichner, Harler, Theodore Gibbs, Cherryvaic; Robert J. Black, Thayer Herry L. Lamar, Rohney R. Grines, Severy, James J. McMains, Gatalpas, Berry A. J. Harbin, Valley Falls; Albert L. Lamar; Rohney R. Grines, Severy; James J. McMains, Gatalpas, Berry A. J. Harbin, Valley Falls; Albert L. Whatton, Council Grove; Joruan Reynolds, Emporia; Rohney R. Gatalpas, Berry A. J. Harbin, Valley Falls; Albert W. William R. Hall, Mitonville, William R. Brown, Independence; Joseph Fancers, McCracken, John S. Stranze, Lihcolin, Napur W. Gibbs, Marvin, Charles Ames, Marton; Isaiah Hyatt, Thomas W. Hill, Logau; Hiram Van Good, William R. Brown, Independence; Joseph Hencels, W. Hartinon, Wess, Citt, Reissue-Samuel Hencels, Mencel Control of the Copy, and the Copy of the Copy, who have done to take the Copy of the Copy, and the Copy of t

\$711,029 is made up of appropriations to pay two and three year volunteers, bounty to volunteers, commutation of ratings and to volunteers, commutation of ratings and hand properly ciaims. Other items of importance are: For public buildings, \$26,000; internal revenue, \$110,000; light-house establishments, \$14,780; collecting customs revenues, \$185,000; for soldiers homes, \$70,600; patent office, \$20,000; land office cerks, \$28,000; surveys, \$10,000; Indian supplies, \$5,000; for survivors and widows of soldiers of the Mexican war and war of \$182, \$21,508,834; artificial limbs, \$0,000; United States courts witness fees, \$30,000. Under the head of naval establishment, the bill oct for survivors and widows of soldiers of the Mexican war and war of 1812, \$21,508,834, artificial limbs, \$60,000, United States courts witness fees, \$30,000, United States courts witness fees, \$30,000, Under the head of naval establishment, the bill provides that the expenses incurred in the purchases, shipments and discharge of coal at Pago Pago, Samoa, (\$63,421) shall be paid from the appropriation of \$100,000 for establishing the station made last very for establishing the station made last year.

CONSIDERING THE CONTESTS. WASHINGTON, Feb. 25. - Immediately after the reading of the journal Mr. Row-

well, of Illinois, called up the contest case noon yesterday. The streams are swollen of Atkinson vs. Pendleton from the First and the low lands flooded. district of West Virginia. It was agreed that six hours' debate should be allowed

### WIND AND WATER.

THE CENTRAL VALLEY STATES SWEPT BY STORMS.

Tributaries of the Ohio Pouring in an Alarming Volume of Water.

Much Damage by a Cyclone in Kentucky, Tennessee and Arkansas-Several Lives Lost,

Hot Springs Receives a Severe Visitation--A Blizzard with Deep Snow Throughout Iowa and Wisconsin-Four Persons Drowned by a Cloud Barst at Cambridge City, Ind .- The Casualty Record of a Day.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 26.-All the ele nents of a disastrous flood in the Ohio river seam to be now present. Continuous wet weather has started the earth so that the excessive rainfalls of the past three or four days have all found their outlet in the tributaries of the river. Along the entire valley of the Ohio the rainfall has been enormous. From the Kentucky side the Big Sandy river comes with a boom almost unparalleled, while the Kanawha river, further up, also pours out a its swelling volume. The Scioto, Hocking and Mus-kingum in Ohio, as well as the two Miamis, keep the river bed full, while a rise is coming down from headwaters. The rise since 9 a. m. yesterday, for twenty-four hours, is over seven feet, and the guage now shows forty-nine feet six inches in the channel. About five feet more will begin to inter-fere with railway traffic, and every inch after that will increase that trouble, as well as cause the elevation of great quantities of goods in the bottom portion of the the county, city. A flood is inevitable. Its proportions depend on the weather of the next few days. The thermometer is above fifty degrees. If rain should follow it will only increase the dimensions of the coming flood. There is already a disturbance of river navigation, as steamers can not

jured by falling timbers. A FLOOD MAY BE AVOIDED.

Benjami Wright, Turon, Joshua A Curry, Carbondale: Ellis Jones, Hartford: William R. Brown, Independence; Josseph McNulty, Stockton; Jacob Hutt, Sabeth; Elijah M. Fry, Fredonia; Amos S. Howard, Ness City, Reissue—Samuel Kelley, Hill City, Original widows, etc.,—Lousia, mother of George Bowles, Mayview.

THE URGENT DEFICIENCY BILL.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The urgent deficiency bill is completed. It makes a total appropriation of \$13,650,213, of which \$711,629 is made up of appropriations to DAMAGE AT BOT SPRINGS.

> of Hot Springs, Ark., vesterday, carryone of Hot Springs, Ark., vesterday, carryone away fonces, overturning frame houses and doing a good deal of domage to other property. The old observatory, nearly 100 feet high, which stood on top of Hot Springs mountain for several years, was a carry name! Hot was a better stenographer that a carry name! Hot was a better stenographer than Bailey was a carry name. property. The old observatory, nearly 100 feet high, which shood on top of Hos. Springs mountain for several years, was blown down. The storm came from the

TERRIBLE SNOW STORMS. ANNA, Ill., Feb. 26 -A severe rain storm ecompanied by thunder and lightning began Monday evening and lasted until

OSHROSH, Wis., Feb. 26.-Yesterday aftermoon a blizzard of great violence awept

A CLOUD BURST.
CAMBRIDGE CITY, Ind., Feb. 28.-A cloud burst Monday night caused Martin-dule creek at this place to rise so quickly that a woman and three children of the Hall family were drowned. They belong-ed to a party of gypsies encamped near the stream. The bodies have not yet been re-

covered.

CARBONDALE, Ill., Feb. 26—A tornado at Bainbridge, fifteen miles east, completely demolished the residence of J. B. Sayder. There were several inmates in the dwelling and all were injured but none fatally. Several buildings were blown from their foundations and badly damages.

AN AWFUL WALL OF WATER. PHENIX, Ariz., Feb. 26.—News from the dam disaster reaches here slowly. The company camp ten miles below the lower dam contained about 525 people two weeks and there were probably that many in it at the time of the disaster and fears are entertained for their lives. A courier who has arrived from near there says he was awakened at about 2 o'clock in the mornawakened at about 2 o'clock in the morning by the shricks of the people. The wave was fifty feet high when he first saw it and was sparkling in the darkness with millions of phosphorescent rays, and with a terrible roar it almost instantly swept away tents and buildings. The canyon, that was full of cottonwood trees, was swept out clean. The lower dam, a structure 240 feet long and sixty feet above bedrock, with thirty feet above the surface, was swept away.

HYDROPHOBIA FROM A DOG'S TONGUE.

SEDALIA, Mo., Feb. 20 -Alfred Car-bough, the S-year-old son of a farmer living near here, died today from hydropho-bia, contracted in a peculiar manner. The dog from which he contracted the disease did not bite him, but only licked his se-verely chapped hands. The boy died in terrible agony.

KILLED WHILE SAVING HIS BROTHER. THENTON, Mo., Feb. 26. - George Ward, aged 17, employed in the mines of Grundy County Coal company, was killed today. A mass of rock had fallen on his brother, pinning him to the ground. George went-to the rescue, but before he reached his brother another mass of rock fell upon him (George) and killed him instantly.

AGED WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH. SEDALIA, Mo., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Mary Sulli-van, aged 70, one of the oldest residents in was burned to death this morning. Her clothing caught fire from a pipe that she was smoking and before help could reach her she was fatally

STABLE FIRE UNDER GROUND. SHAMOKIN, Pa., Feb. 26.-Fire broke out tonight in the stables in the Carmeron colliery slope lifty yards below the surface.

sing flood. There is already a disturbance of river navigation, as steamers can not pass under the suspension bridge.

At Hamilton, O., the Big Miami was higher last night than it has been for tenyears. The water had entered the Straub house, one of the principal hotels of the city, and many houses were submerged in part. In many places the heavy rainfall was attended with high wind.

At Keathley, Teon., the bank building belonging to Winslow, Fisher & Baird was blown to splinters. Thirty-five persons were in the building at the time, of whom about six were more or less injured; none fatally. George Kitchmer, of Lowell, Mass, had his head and thigh severely bruised; E. O. Cross, of Proctorville, Vt., had his right leg crushed at the thigh George Thacher, of Middlesboro, had an arm broken; Dr. Hudgings, of Knoxville, Teon., was severely infured in the side and had both legs and an arm broken.

At Marion, Ky, there was a severe wind storm. The court house was unroofed and partly blown down and the records bailly damaged. The opera house was unroofed and several business houses were more or less damaged. Several dwellings were injured and Mrs. Betts was badly injured by falling timbers.

A FLOOD MAY RE AVOIDED. office, when the matter was immediately laid before his colleagues. A few days At 8:30 o'clock this evening the river at later Mr. Oberly decided to look into the this point was fifty-one feet and one-half matter, and in the course of his inquities

chirk who gave out the paper, testified athefantially to the facts stated by Commissioners Lyman and Oberly, the only difference being that there was a conflict in his testimony as to St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 26.—A tornado swept over and through the southern port of Hot Springs, Ark., vesterday, carryon.

The next charge averaed that Eimund

replier than Balley, but and Balley was promoted because of his seniority. The work also was not exclusively stenographic.

IDAHO'S STATEHOOD BILL WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.-The house committee ou territories today decided to report favorably to the house the bill for the admission of the territory of Idaho as a state. Two reports will be in all probability submitted to the boose.

DAMAGES FOR KILLING HIS DAUGH-TER.

HIAWATHA, Kan., Feb. 26.-Joseph Trompter, of Horton, was given \$2,500 in

# ARCADE